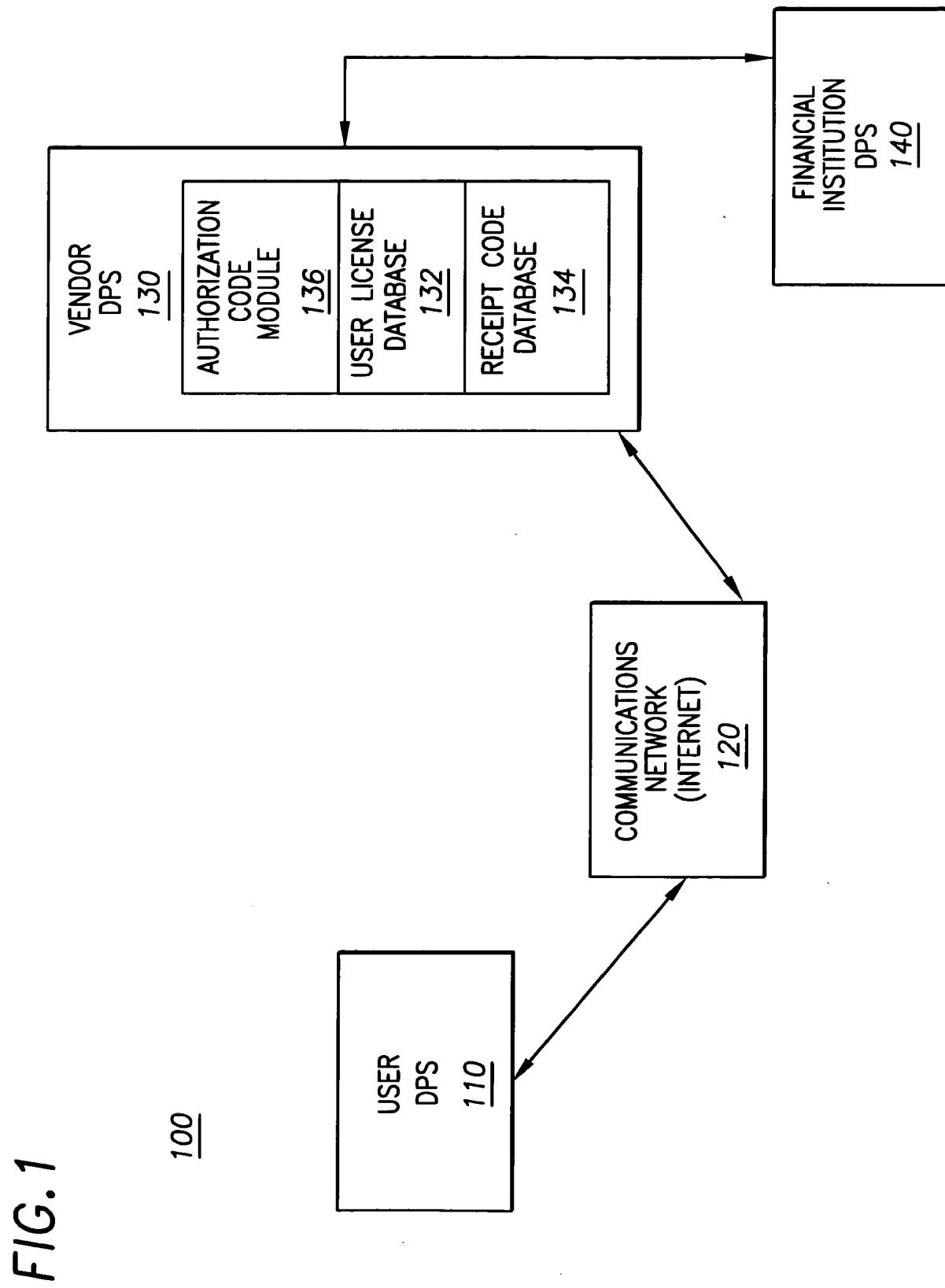




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PURCHASE SOFTWARE
PROCESS

FIG. 2A-1

ESTABLISH USER LICENSE & RECEIPT CODE DATABASES

206

SELECT SOFTWARE
AND PAY
VENDOR

208

ISSUE RECEIPT CODE
TO USER

210

RECORD IN RECEIPT CODE
DATABASE & NO. OF
USER LICENSES

(B)

204

SELECT
SOFTWARE
ON LINE
?

YES

212

CONNECT TO VENDOR DPS

OBTAI N USER IP ADDRESS
WITH VENDOR DPS

VERIFY USER IP ADDRESS

214

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TO FIG. 2A-2

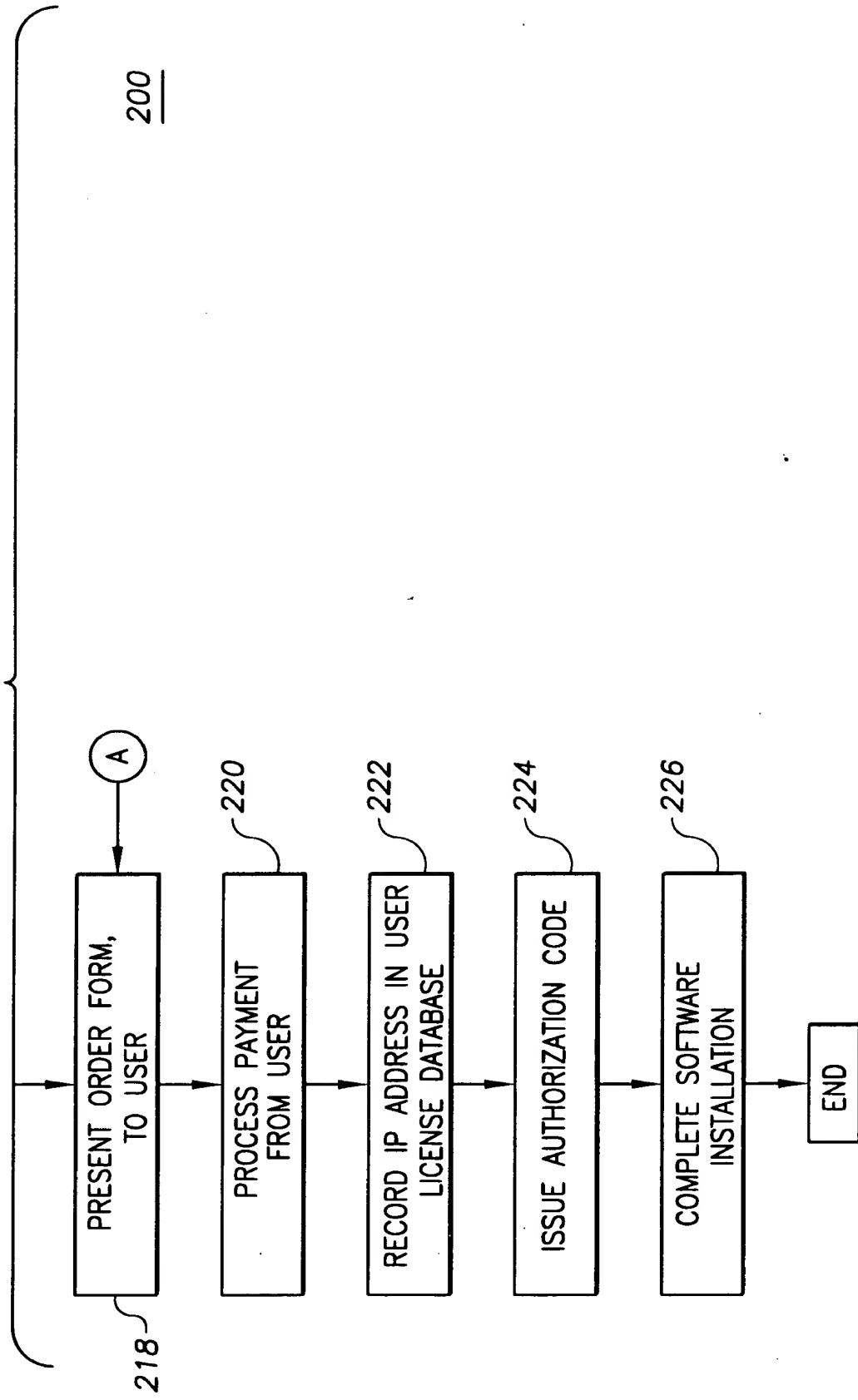


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FIG.2A-2

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FIG. 2B-1

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ESTABLISH USER LICENSE DATABASE AND NO. OF SEATS

254

INITIATE SOFTWARE INSTALLATION IN USER DPS

256

CONNECT USER DPS WITH VENDOR DPS

258

OBTAIN USER'S IP ADDRESS WITH VENDOR DPS

260

SEARCH FOR USER IP ADDRESS IN LICENSE DATABASE

TO FIG. 2B-2



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FIG. 2B-2

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